

# COMMUNICATION

## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION

Those students choosing the speech option must take:

- COMM 1003 Introduction to Communication
- COMM 1023 Exploration of Media and Communication or JOUR 1023 Exploration of Media and Communication
- COMM 2003 Public Speaking
- COMM 3003 Interpersonal Communication
- COMM 3123 Argumentation *or* COMM 3133 Digital Civility
- COMM 3513 Media Criticism
- COMM 4823 Communication Capstone

Students choosing the speech option, in consultation with an advisor, can design a program in one of the following areas of emphasis:

- 1 .communication for the professions
- 2 .language and culture
- 3 .organizational communication
- 4 .performance studies

### Curriculum

The matrix below is a sample plan for all coursework required for this program.

#### Freshman

Fall	Credits
ENGL 1013 Composition I <sup>1</sup>	3
USHG 1XXX U.S. History and Government <sup>1</sup>	3
SCIL 1XXX Science with Laboratory <sup>1</sup>	4
COMM 1003 Introduction to Communication	3
TECH 1001 Orientation to the University	1
COMM 1023 Exploration of Media and Communication or JOUR 1023 Exploration of Media and Communication	3
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>17</b>

Spring	Credits
ENGL 1023 Composition II <sup>1</sup>	3
SS 1XXX Social Science Courses <sup>1,2</sup>	3
MATH XXXX <sup>1</sup>	3
Elective	6
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

#### Sophomore

Fall	Credits
SCIL 1XXX Science with Laboratory <sup>1</sup>	4
COMM 2003 Public Speaking	3
COMM Elective	3

Fall	Credits
Elective	6
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>16</b>

Spring	Credits
FAH 1XXX Fine Arts and Humanities Courses <sup>1</sup>	3
SS 1XXX Social Science Courses <sup>1,2</sup>	3
COMM 3123 Argumentation or COMM 3133 Digital Civility	3
Elective	6
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**Junior**

Fall	Credits
COMM 3003 Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 3513 Media Criticism	3
COMM Elective (3000-4000 level)	3
Elective	6
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

Spring	Credits
FAH 1XXX Fine Arts and Humanities Courses <sup>1</sup>	3
COMM Elective (3000- 4000 level)	3
Elective (3000-4000 level)	6
Elective	3
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

**Senior**

Fall	Credits
COMM 4823 Communication Capstone	3
Elective (3000-4000 level)	12
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

Spring	Credits
COMM Elective	3
COMM Elective (3000- 4000 level)	3
Elective (3000-4000 level)	1
Elective	5
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>12</b>

<sup>1</sup>See appropriate alternatives or substitutions in "General Education Requirements".

<sup>2</sup>Certain electives and social sciences are recommended based on student's emphasis.